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RING

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

In conjunction with the filing of the Appeal Brief, applicant has amended claim 4. Thus, applicant asks that the following amendments to the claims be made:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please make the following changes to Claim 4. A marked up version of the claim is attached at Appendix 1.

4. (TWICE AMENDED) The motorized reduction gear as recited in Claim 1, wherein said magnetic ring is housed in an annular recess located at an end of said commutator.